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<b>Age: 8</b>		<p><b>DOUGLAS and ELIDA BAKER</b>, Maternal Grandparents, were appointed Guardians on 4-11-05.</p> <p><b>JEANINE BAKER</b>, Mother, filed a Petition for Termination of Guardianship on 2-15-13.</p> <p><b>At hearing on 4-17-13</b>, Guardians were represented by Attorney Cindy Hopper and advised the Court that there is a family law matter pending for the adoption of the minor. Attorney Hopper requested that these proceeds be stayed pending the family court matter.</p> <p>The Court stayed and continued this petition to 6-12-13.</p> <p>On 6-12-13, the matter was continued to 8-20-13.</p> <p>As of 8-15-13, nothing further has been filed in this probate guardianship case.</p>	<p><b>NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:</b></p>
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Petition for Substituted Judgment to Create and Fund a Revocable Living Trust for  
Conservatee

<b>Age: 84</b>		<b>SUSAN BROWN</b> , Daughter and Conservator, is Petitioner.	<b>NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:</b>
		Petitioner request authorization to execute the attached proposed trust, <b>The WALTER EDWARD EASTWOOD ROVOCABLE TRUST</b> , on behalf of the Conservatee and to transfer into it the assets of the conservatorship estate as of the date of transfer.	<b>Note:</b> Petitioner was appointed as Conservator of the Person with medical consent and dementia medication and placement powers, and as Conservator of the Estate with bond of \$95,480.00, on 11-29-12.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Aff.Sub.Wit.</b>	Petitioner states the Conservatee is 83 years of age, his wife now deceased. He has five adult children, including Petitioner, and Petitioner provides a list of all other relatives entitled to notice under §2581, including grandchildren.	<b>Note:</b> Attorney Flora Istanbulian was previously appointed to represent the Conservatee; however, her services as attorney of record were terminated on 1-31-13.
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<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Inventory</b>	The Inventory and Appraisal filed 3-29-13 shows the value of the conservatorship estate as \$202,002.71, of which \$73,646.71 is cash. The Conservatee receives monthly income of approx. \$1,400.00 and his expenses are approx. \$1,400.00.	<b>Note:</b> I&A filed 3-29-13 includes \$73,646.71 cash, the residence in Clovis, and misc. personal property items.
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(1) Petition for Allowance of Compensation for Petitioner for Care of Conservatee  
and (2) Fees for Attorney

<b>Age: 84</b>		<p><b>SUSAN BROWN</b>, Daughter and Conservator, is Petitioner.</p> <p>Petitioner was appointed as Conservator of the Person and Estate on 11-29-12. Petitioner states she is and has been the Conservatee's primary caregiver and requests compensation for care provided from October 2012 through June 2013 at \$10.00/hr for a total of \$8,205.50, plus \$549.45 mileage for travel to and from the Conservatee's residence to provide care. See Exhibit A (Time Cards) and Exhibit B (Mileage).</p> <p>Petitioner also requests to pay her attorney Nance LeVan \$5,946.00 for services provided in connection with the conservatorship as well as with a family law elder abuse restraining order against a grandson. See Exhibit C.</p>	<p><b>NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Petitioner provides "Time Cards" that indicate dates and hours, but there is no description of the services provided for each line item. The Court may require clarification per Cal. Rules of Court 7.751(b) and 7.702.</li> <li>2. The Court may require accounting prior to allowance of compensation pursuant to Cal. Rules of Court 7.752. Examiner notes that Local Rules also contemplate compensation upon completion of the first account. A status hearing is set for 4-4-14 for the filing of the first account.</li> </ol>	
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**5 Marilyn Faith Springer (CONS/PE)**  
 Atty Boyett, Deborah K. (for Conservator David R. Springer)  
 Atty Walters, Jennifer L. (court appointed for Conservatee)

Case No. 13CEPR00269

Petition for Payment of Attorney's Fees [Prob. C. 1470 et seq.]

<b>Age: 71 years</b>		<p><b>JENNIFER WALTERS</b>, petitioner was Court appointed to represent the Conservatee on 4/4/2013.</p> <p><b>DAVID R. SPRINGER</b> was appointed Conservator of the Person and Estate on 5/7/2013.</p> <p>Petitioner requests fees in connection with the representation of the Conservatee for David R. Springer's petition to appoint a conservator.</p> <p>Petitioner <b>asks that she be paid</b> from the conservatorship estate for <b>5.4 hours @ \$245.00 per hour for a total of \$1,323.00 and for costs of \$435.00 for the filing fee.</b></p> <p>Services are itemized by date and include review of documents, visits with client, and court appearances.</p>	<b>NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:</b>				
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Age: 8/17/2012		<b>EDWARD SIMPSON</b> , brother, is petitioner and requests appointment as Administrator.  Petitioner was appointed special administrator for the sole purpose of speaking with the insurance company. Letters of Special Administration expire on 6/4/13.  Full IAEA – o.k.  Decedent died intestate.  Residence: Reedley Publication: Fresno Business Journal  <b>Estimated value of the estate:</b> Personal property - \$1,000,000.00  <b>Probate Referee: Rick Smith</b>	<b>NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:</b>  <u>Continued from 6-4-13, 7-23-13</u>  <u>Minute Order 7-23-13:</u> Ms. Walters informs the Court that they are still working with the insurance. Ms. Walters requests a continuance.  <u>As of 8-15-13, the following issues remain:</u>  1. Petition does not address bond. The decedent sole heir is his minor son. Therefore, bond should be set at \$1,000,000.00.  2. Need Letters	
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